



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: P. Rubin et al.

Application No.: 10/075,617

Art Unit: 1614

Filed: February 15, 2002

Examiner: R. Cook

For: METHODS FOR TREATING SLEEP
APNEA AND SLEEP INDUCED
APNEA USING OPTICALLY PURE
(+) NORCISAPRIDE

Attorney Docket No.: 4821-468

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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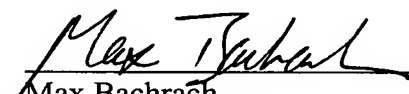
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for filing a Brief on Appeal be extended for a period of three months from January 21, 2004 to and including April 21, 2004.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$ 950.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 503013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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